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SUBJECT: LETTER TO FOREIGN MINISTER OF PERU

1. PERUVIAN AMBASSADOR BERCKEMEYER RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS FROM FOREIGN MINISTER DE LA FLOR TO APPROACH AGRICULTURE DEPT. CONCERNING LINE OF CREDIT FOR 100,000 TONS OF WHEAT AND TO SPEAK TO ASSISTANT SECRETARY KUBISCH CONCERNING UREA FERTILIZER.

2. ON MAY 2 BERCKEMEYER CALLED ON AGRICULTURE ASSISTANT SECRETARY YEUTTER WHO INFORMED HIM THAT A DOLS 15 MILLION LINE OF CREDIT FOR NEW CROP WHEAT (100,000 TONS) HAD BEEN OPENED FOR PERU. MR. YEUTTER ASKED THAT BERCKEMEYER KEEP THE MATTER CONFIDENTIAL UNTIL LINE OF CREDIT ANNOUNCED PUBLICLY BY USDA. BERCKEMEYER AGREED AND STATED HIS APPRECIATION FOR AND SATISFACTION WITH CREDIT LINE. BERCKEMEYER INTENDS CALL ON MR. KUBISCH SOMETIME DURING WEEK OF MAY 6 TO DISCUSS FERTILIZER.

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3. PRESS GUIDANCE ON ANNOUNCEMENT CCC CREDIT LINE WILL BE

CABLED TO EMBASSY PRIOR TO PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT WITHIN NEXT
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